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TAGS: PFOR, GC

SUBJECT: ZAIRE SITREP

1. IT NOW APPEARS CONFIRMED THAT MUTSHATSHA 'FELL" OVER
THE WEEKEND, AND THAT THE KATANGAN GENDARMES ARE MOVING
TOWARDS KOLWEZI. THE ZAIRIANS CONTINUE TO DEPLOY UNITS,
BUT THERE HAVE BEEN NO REPORTS OF ANY SIGNIFICANT CON-
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TACT BETWEEN THEM AND THE GENDARMES.

2. ALTHOUGH THE MOOD IN KINSHASA REMAINS CALM
ATMOSPHERE IN KOLWEZI AT LEAST IS DETERIORATING. US CON-
STRUCTION FIRM MORRISON-KNUDSEN DECIDED TODAY TO EVACUATE
ALL OF ITS PERSONNEL FROM KOLWEZI: 37 WILL LEAVE BY AIR-
PLANE TO KATANGA BY TOMORROW MORNING, AND THE REMAINING

THREE ON WEDNESDAY.

3. ON THE DIPLOMATIC FRONT, FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMISSIONER
NGUZA APPEARS TO HAVE OBTAINED PROMISES OF MATERIAL AND
OTHER SUPPORT FROM THE MOROCCANS AND THE EGYPTIANS. IF
SUCH SUPPORT SHOULD BE FORTHCOMING, MOBUTU'S POSITION
WOULD BE IMPROVED, ALBEIT AT THE RISK OF AN ESCALATED
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